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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hiroshi OKUBO et al.

Group Art Unit: 3713

Application No.: 09/555,630

Examiner: M. O'Neill

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Docket No.: 106348

For: GAME MACHINE AND INFORMATION STORAGE MEDIUM

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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Sir:

In reply to the December 11, 2003 Office Action, the period for reply extended by a two-month petition for extension of time to May 11, 2004, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**